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Preface

This publication contains statistical tables and charts in relation to the Queensland and is intended to supplement the fifth (2000–01) annual national report on the Supported Accommodation Assistance Program (SAAP) National Data Collection. The first national report, containing 1996–97 data, was published in December 1997. The reports provide information on people who are homeless and those who are at risk of being homeless.

A productive and cooperative partnership has continued between the SAAP National Data Collection Agency (managed by the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare), SAAP agencies and the SAAP Data Sub-committee, comprising government, community and expert representatives. Valuable support and encouragement have been provided by the SAAP Coordination and Development Committee, which is responsible for the national direction of the SAAP program.

This partnership has been built on shared goals and mutual trust. The key has been agencies' willingness to collect and provide data to the National Data Collection Agency, knowing that any personal information provided by clients is protected by the extremely strict confidentiality provisions of the *Australian Institute of Health and Welfare Act* 1987.

The fact that 93% of agencies in Queensland provided data in 2000–01 is testimony to their collective commitment to, and confidence in, the collection. A 92% participation rate was recorded in 1999–00. The proportion of SAAP clients who consented to the provision of their personal data to the National Data Collection Agency increased from 78% in 1999–00 to 85% in 2000–01.

This large and complex project has not only a high level of support but also a high level of accuracy. We are confident that we can further improve the quality of the information provided to help policy makers and the community better understand and provide for the needs of people who are homeless or at risk of being so.

Under the Coordination and Development Committee's direction, a SAAP National Research Program has been established to undertake and fund studies on homeless people, often using data from the National Data Collection. Over time, the availability of time-series SAAP data will greatly increase the usefulness of the data. The publication of this fifth annual report and the release of 2000–01 data are one step towards this goal.

Australian Institute of Health and Welfare SAAP Coordination and Development Committee

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Abbreviations and symbols

Abbreviations

ABS Australian Bureau of Statistics

AIHW Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

CAP Crisis Accommodation Program

DV Domestic violence

NDC National Data Collection

NDCA National Data Collection Agency

SAAP Supported Accommodation Assistance Program

Symbols in tables

.. Not applicable

Nil or rounded to zero (including null cells)

n.a. Not available

n.e.s. Not elsewhere specified

Glossary

Accompanying child

A person aged under 18 years who accompanies a *client* to a SAAP *agency* during a *support period*.

Accompanying child requiring assistance

A child aged under 18 years who requires and/or receives *support* or *supported accommodation* from a SAAP *agency* and whose parent or guardian is a *client* of the same *agency*.

Accompanying child support period

An accompanying child requiring assistance may require and/or receive assistance during one or more support period(s) provided to a parent or guardian. Each support period in which the child requires and/or receives assistance is termed an accompanying child support period.

Within an *accompanying child support period* the child may receive one-off assistance and/or support over a period of time. Since the child may not be supported for the entire duration of their parent's or guardian's *support period*, it is not possible to assess the length of support for an *accompanying child requiring assistance*.

Agency

An organisation or establishment that receives a specified amount of SAAP funds to provide services.

Alpha code

A predetermined combination of letters from a *client's* name, together with a letter designating the *client's* gender. A 'valid *alpha code*' is a legitimate *alpha code* (that is, one containing only letters from the alphabet and ending in either M or F) joined to the *client's* reported year of birth and encrypted to create a unique *client* indicator.

Client

A person aged 18 years or older, or a person of any age not accompanied by a parent or guardian, who:

- receives support or assistance from a SAAP agency which entails generally 1 hour or more of a worker's time, either with that client directly or on behalf of that client, on a given day; or
- is accommodated by a SAAP *agency*; or
- enters into an *ongoing support relationship* with a SAAP *agency*.

Closed accompanying child support period

An accompanying child support period associated with a closed support period.

Closed support period

A *support period* that had finished before the end of the reporting period – 30 June.

English proficiency group 1 countries

Canada, Ireland, New Zealand, South Africa, the United Kingdom, and the United States of America.

English proficiency group 2-4 countries

Countries, excluding Australia, that are not included in *English* proficiency group 1.

Homeless person

A person who does not have access to safe, secure and adequate housing. A person is considered not to have access to safe, secure and adequate housing if the only housing to which they have access:

- damages, or is likely to damage, their health; or
- threatens their safety; or
- marginalises them through failing to provide access to:
 - adequate personal amenities, or
 - the economic and social supports that a home normally affords; or
- places them in circumstances which threaten or adversely affect the adequacy, safety, security and affordability of that housing; or
- has no security of tenure—that is, they have no legal right to continued occupation of their home.

A person is also considered homeless if he or she is living in accommodation provided by a SAAP *agency* or some other form of emergency accommodation.

Ongoing support relationship

A relationship between a SAAP *agency* and a person whereby some assistance has been provided to that person and it is agreed that future contact will occur between the person and the *agency* for the purpose of providing additional assistance.

An invitation to return to the *agency* if the need arises does not constitute an *ongoing support relationship*.

This definition is used to help establish whether a person is considered a *client* for the purposes of the National Data Collection.

Recurrent allocations

Amounts of money specifically allocated during the reporting period by a State or Territory department either:

- to SAAP *agencies* to fund salaries and associated on-costs, and ongoing operating costs; or
- for use by each State or Territory for such purposes as training, research, evaluation, administration, and asset replacement or purchase.

Referral

For the purposes of the National Data Collection, a formal referral process—not simply the provision of information. A (formal) *referral* occurs when a SAAP *agency* contacts another organisation and that organisation accepts the person concerned for an appointment or interview. A *referral* has not been provided if the person is not accepted for an appointment or interview.

Support

Assistance, other than *supported accommodation*, provided to a *client* as part of an *ongoing support relationship* between a SAAP *agency* and the *client*. For the purposes of the National Data Collection, *support* also includes contact with, or work on behalf of, a *client* for generally more than 1 hour on a given day. *Support* may be provided to the *client* individually or in group sessions.

Support period

A *support period* commences when a *client* begins to receive *support* and/or *supported accommodation* from a SAAP *agency*. The *support period* is considered to finish when:

- the *client* ends the relationship with the *agency*; or
- the *agency* ends the relationship with the *client*.

If it is not clear whether the *agency* or the *client* has ended the relationship, the *support period* is assumed to have ended if no assistance has been provided to the *client* for a period of 1 month. In such a case, the date the *support period* ended is 1 month after the last contact with the *client*.

Supported accommodation

Accommodation paid for, or provided directly by, a SAAP *agency*. The accommodation may be provided at the *agency* or may be purchased using SAAP funds—at a motel, for example.

1 Introduction

This publication is one of eight State and Territory supplements that accompany the fifth annual national report on the Supported Accommodation Assistance Program (SAAP) National Data Collection. The annual report provides an overview of assistance given to clients of agencies funded through SAAP.

The tables and charts included in this supplement are generally similar to those in the national report but relate to Queensland only. To assist the reader, a glossary of terms is included at the beginning of this report. Further information to aid readers in interpreting the tables is given in Appendix 1 of the main report. Included in that Appendix are:

- an overview of the Client Collection and its data;
- general notes to tables;
- an explanation of the weighting system used to adjust the data for agency nonparticipation and client non-consent;
- counting rules used in the tables; and
- a guide to interpreting the tables. In particular, two example tables with explanatory notes demonstrate how to interpret data presented in the different types of tables in the report.

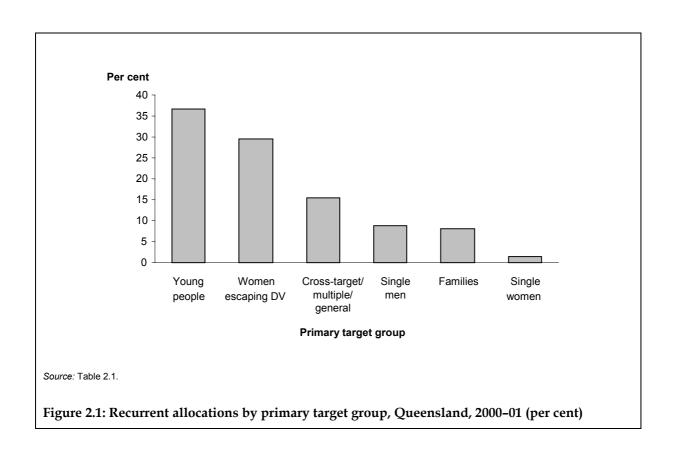
Appendix 1 to this supplementary report provides additional information relevant only to the interpretation of tables for Queensland. Appendix 2 contains copies of the client form and the high-volume client form used to collect data in 2000–01.

Data presented here primarily relate to the financial year ending 30 June 2001. However, comprehensive data on services provided to children accompanying clients to SAAP agencies have only been available since January 2001, and consequently tables using this data refer to the 6 month period from this date. Although most tables provide information about both completed and ongoing support periods, analysis of the duration of support and accommodation and of data items relating to client circumstances after support is necessarily limited to completed support periods only. In addition, a number of tables contain data for the 5 years that the National Data Collection has been conducted (see Chapter 8). It should be noted that, while most estimates have been adjusted for client nonconsent and/or agency non-participation, no allowance has been made for agencies who provide forms for some but not all of their support periods.

Estimates in this report are subject to revision. Revised tables, along with the reports themselves, are posted on the website of the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (www.aihw.gov.au). Regional tables and counts for all data items collected are available in hard copy or electronic format on request from the National Data Collection Agency, which is managed by the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (NDCA@aihw.gov.au).

2 Funding

2.1 Key chart



2.2 Table

Table 2.1: SAAP agencies: recurrent allocations and mean funding per agency, by region and primary target group, Queensland, 2000–01

	Agencies (number)	Agencies (%)	Recurrent allocation (\$)	Recurrent allocation (%)	Mean funding per agency (\$)
Region					
Remote and North West	15	7.7	3,132,000	7.4	208,800
Cairns and Tablelands	15	7.7	3,741,000	8.9	249,400
Townsville and Hinterland	15	7.7	3,852,000	9.1	256,800
Mackay/Whitsundays	8	4.1	1,495,000	3.5	186,900
Central	21	10.7	3,087,000	7.3	147,000
Wide Bay Burnett	13	6.6	2,608,000	6.2	200,600
Toowoomba and South-West	11	5.6	1,974,000	4.7	179,400
Caboolture and Redcliffe Peninsula	5	2.6	1,169,000	2.8	233,800
Sunshine Coast	10	5.1	2,123,000	5.0	212,300
Brisbane	52	26.5	13,178,000	31.2	253,400
Ipswich/Logan	13	6.6	2,635,000	6.2	202,700
Gold Coast/Redlands	17	8.7	3,201,000	7.6	188,300
Statewide	1	0.5	73,000	0.2	72,600
Total	196	100.0	42,268,000	100.0	215,700
Primary target group					
Young people	70	35.7	15,489,000	36.6	221,300
Single men only	11	5.6	3,754,000	8.9	341,300
Single women only	1	0.5	603,000	1.4	602,800
Families	27	13.8	3,412,000	8.1	126,400
Women escaping domestic violence	51	26.0	12,437,000	29.4	243,900
Cross-target/multiple/general	36	18.4	6,573,000	15.6	182,600
Unspecified ^(a)					
Total	196	100.0	42,268,000	100.0	215,700
Recurrent allocations to agencies	196	100.0	42,268,000	98.4	215,700
Other			692,000	1.6	
Total recurrent funds			42,960,000	100.0	

Notes

Source: SAAP Administrative Data Collection.

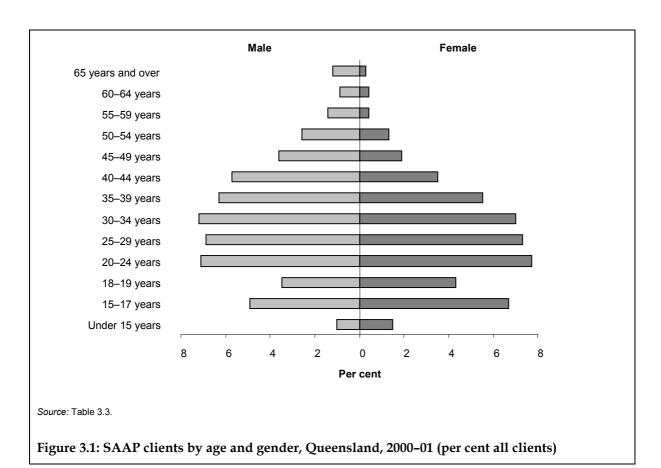
 ^{&#}x27;Recurrent allocations' excludes funds not allocated to agencies; for example, funds allocated for administration, training, research and evaluation.

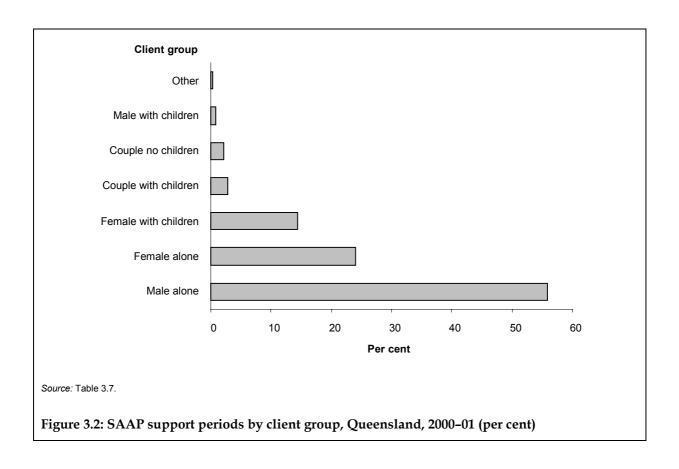
^{&#}x27;Total recurrent funds' includes \$317,00 provided through the Partnerships Against Domestic Violence Program, all of which was allocated to agencies.

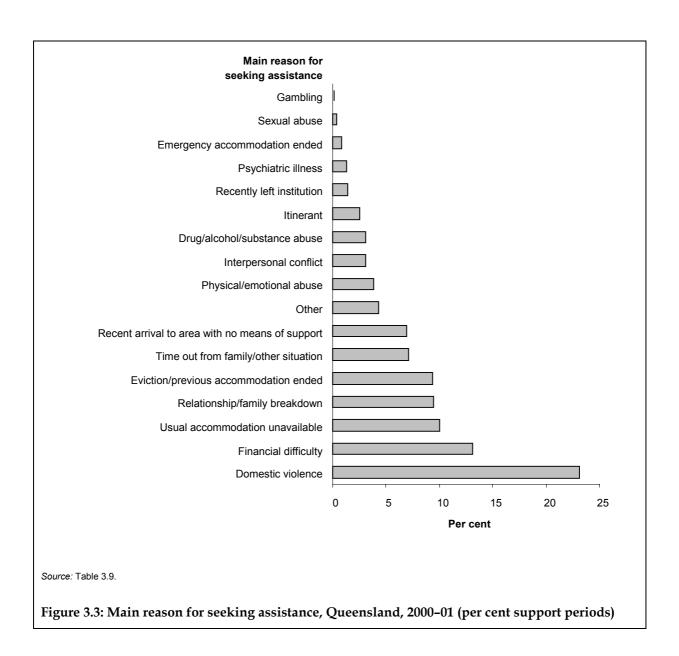
^{3.} Not all agencies operated throughout the year. At 30 June 2001, 195 agencies were operating.

3 Level of support

3.1 Key charts







3.2 Tables

Table 3.1: SAAP support periods and clients, Queensland, 2000-01

Support periods (number)	38,450
Clients (number)	17,900
Mean number of support periods per client	2.31
Clients per 10,000 population 10+	58

Notes

- 1. Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 0.
- 'Clients per 10,000 population 10+' shows how many people out of every 10,000 aged 10 and over in the general population became SAAP
 clients. The rate is estimated by comparing the number of SAAP clients aged 10 and over with the estimated resident population aged 10 and
 over at 30 June 2000 (final estimates).
- 3. Number of clients in this table relates to clients that ever received assistance from a SAAP agency in Queensland.
- 4. Some of the support periods for clients may have been at agencies in another State or Territory. Consequently, the number of clients multiplied by the average number of support periods for these clients is greater than the number of support periods provided within Queensland.
- 5. Support period figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation.
- 6. Client figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Sources: SAAP Client Collection; ABS 2001a.

Table 3.2: Number of SAAP support periods active on the 15th of the month, by month and region, Queensland, 2000–01

Date	Gold Coast	lpswich & Logan	Brisbane City	Sunshine Coast	Caboolture & Redcliffe Peninsula	Toowoomba & South- West	Total
15 July 2000	250	140	650	170	50	220	2,070
15 August 2000	300	150	720	170	40	240	2,250
15 September 2000	300	160	730	180	50	220	2,220
15 October 2000	290	170	650	150	40	220	2,080
15 November 2000	300	170	680	160	30	220	2,180
15 December 2000	310	120	710	180	40	210	2,180
15 January 2001	270	110	700	160	50	210	2,160
15 February 2001	300	130	680	210	50	240	2,260
15 March 2001	310	120	680	200	50	250	2,320
15 April 2001	320	120	620	190	40	240	2,250
15 May 2001	290	100	610	190	30	240	2,190
15 June 2001	300	100	510	190	40	270	2,090

Date	Wide Bay Burnett	Central	Mackay & Whitsundays	Townsville & Hinterland	Cairns & Tablelands	Remote & North-West	Total
15 July 2000	100	150	80	60	150	60	2,070
15 August 2000	100	150	90	70	170	50	2,250
15 September 2000	80	150	90	80	160	60	2,220
15 October 2000	80	110	90	100	140	60	2,080
15 November 2000	80	100	90	100	190	60	2,180
15 December 2000	70	120	90	90	200	60	2,180
15 January 2001	60	130	80	100	230	60	2,160
15 February 2001	70	140	90	80	210	70	2,260
15 March 2001	70	160	100	110	220	60	2,320
15 April 2001	70	130	80	90	270	60	2,250
15 May 2001	80	140	80	130	230	60	2,190
15 June 2001	70	140	80	130	210	70	2,090

^{1.} Number excluded due to errors and omissions: 708.

^{2.} Figures are unweighted and have not been adjusted for agency non-participation.

Table 3.3: SAAP clients, by age and gender, Queensland, 2000-01

	Percentage (of all clients	Percentage of	gender group		
Age	Male	Female	Male	Female	To	tal
	%	%	%	%	%	Number
Under 15 years	1.0	1.5	1.9	3.0	2.4	450
15-17 years	4.9	6.7	9.4	14.0	11.6	2,050
18-19 years	3.5	4.3	6.6	9.0	7.7	1,350
20-24 years	7.1	7.7	13.5	16.2	14.8	2,600
25-29 years	6.9	7.3	13.3	15.2	14.2	2,500
30-34 years	7.2	7.0	13.8	14.8	14.2	2,500
35–39 years	6.3	5.5	12.0	11.5	11.8	2,050
40-44 years	5.7	3.5	11.0	7.4	9.3	1,650
45-49 years	3.6	1.9	6.8	3.9	5.4	950
50-54 years	2.6	1.3	5.0	2.7	3.9	700
55-59 years	1.4	0.4	2.8	0.9	1.9	350
60-64 years	0.9	0.4	1.8	0.7	1.3	250
65 years and over	1.2	0.3	2.3	0.7	1.5	250
Total	52.3	47.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	
Total (number)	9,200	8,400	9,200	8,400		17,600
Mean age (years)			33.0	28.7		31.0
Median age (years)			31	27		29

^{1.} Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 308.

^{2.} Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Table 3.4: SAAP clients: birthplace by gender, Queensland, 2000-01

Birthplace	Male	Female	Tota	al	Queensland population		
	%	%	%	Number	%	Number	
Australia	89.0	88.7	88.9	15,450	82.3	2,748,000	
Oceania (excluding Australia)	4.0	4.3	4.2	700	4.1	135,650	
UK, Ireland and associated islands	2.7	1.3	2.0	350	6.0	199,550	
Other Europe and the former Soviet Union	2.1	1.7	1.9	350	3.4	114,500	
South-East, North-East and Southern Asia	0.9	2.7	1.7	300	2.8	92,700	
Other (including the Middle East, Africa, the Americas and Caribbean)	1.3	1.3	1.3	250	1.4	48,300	
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0		100.0		
Total (%)	52.2	47.8	100.0				
Total (number)	9,050	8,300		17,350		3,338,700	

Sources: SAAP Client Collection; ABS 1999.

^{1.} Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 535.

^{2. &#}x27;Queensland population' refers to the estimated resident population at 30 June 1996.

^{3.} Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Table 3.5: SAAP clients and support periods per client, by cultural and linguistic diversity and gender of client, Queensland, 2000–01

Cultural and linguistic diversity	Male	Female	То	tal	Queensland population		
	%	%	%	Number	%	Number	
Clients							
Indigenous Australians	14.6	25.6	19.9	3,400	3.1	104,800	
Australian-born non-Indigenous people	74.6	63.3	69.2	11,800	79.2	2,643,200	
People born overseas, English proficiency group 1	6.5	4.5	5.5	950	10.0	334,500	
People born overseas, English proficiency groups 2–4	4.4	6.6	5.4	950	7.7	256,150	
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0		100.0		
Total (%)	52.2	47.8	100.0		100.0		
Total (number)	8,900	8,150		17,100		3,338,700	
Support periods	Mear	n number per c	lient	Total number			
Indigenous Australians	3.49	2.40	2.81	10,350			
Australian-born non-Indigenous people	2.48	1.60	2.09	23,550			
People born overseas, English proficiency group 1	2.11	1.52	1.88	1,550			
People born overseas, English proficiency groups 2–4	2.45	1.43	1.86	1,500			
Total	2.60	1.79	2.21	• •			
Total support periods (%)	57.8	42.2	100.0				
Total support periods (number)	21,350	15,600		36,950			

Sources: SAAP Client Collection; ABS 1999; ABS 1998.

^{1.} Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 812 clients.

^{2.} For the full derivation of cultural and linguistic diversity, see the counting rules (Appendix 1, Section 1.4 of the main report). English proficiency groups are based on country of birth—see Glossary.

^{3. &#}x27;Queensland population' refers to the estimated resident population at 30 June 1996. The figures for Indigenous Australians are from experimental estimates based on the 1996 Census produced by the ABS. The number of 'Australian-born non-Indigenous people' is derived as the Australian-born population minus the number of Indigenous Australians.

^{4.} Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Table 3.6: SAAP clients: number of support periods per client, by age and gender of client, Queensland, 2000–01 (per cent)

Total number of support periods	Under 15 years	15–17 years	18–19 years	20–24 years	25–44 years	45–64 years	65+ years	То	tal
	-	-	М	ale clients	-	-		%	Number
1	65.8	65.1	65.2	61.3	55.4	58.4	62.4	58.6	5,400
2	16.6	17.1	19.3	18.5	18.8	18.5	15.6	18.5	1,700
3	5.5	7.2	6.1	8.9	9.3	7.6	9.0	8.5	800
4	4.0	3.5	3.8	3.7	5.2	4.2	3.3	4.5	400
5	0.7	2.6	1.7	2.6	2.7	2.4	1.6	2.5	250
6+	7.4	4.4	4.0	5.0	8.5	8.9	8.1	7.4	700
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
Total (%)	1.9	9.4	6.6	13.5	50.0	16.4	2.3	100.0	
Total (number)	150	850	600	1,250	4,600	1,500	200		9,200
Mean number of	0.45	4.00	4.00	0.44	2.04	2.02	2.00		0.00
support periods Per 10,000	2.15	1.89	1.82	2.11	2.91	2.93	3.09	• •	2.63
population	13	107	113	96	85	37	11		60
Papaaaa				male clien					
1	75.4	65.2	67.5	68.9	68.5	71.5	75.0	68.5	5,750
2	14.8	19.5	18.8	17.7	18.2	16.1	12.3	18.0	1,500
3	4.7	7.2	7.6	5.8	7.2	6.1	8.4	6.9	600
4	0.5	3.4	2.7	2.9	2.7	2.0	1.9	2.7	250
5	1.0	2.0	1.2	1.6	1.1	0.9	_	1.3	100
6+	3.6	2.7	2.2	3.0	2.3	3.4	2.3	2.6	200
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
Total (%)	3.0	14.0	9.0	16.2	48.9	8.2	0.7	100.0	
Total (number)	250	1,150	750	1,350	4,100	700	50		8,400
Mean number of support periods	1.55	1.71	1.66	1.87	1.79	2.06	1.67		1.80
Per 10,000 population	20	152	149	108	76	17	3		54
				All clients					
1	71.6	65.1	66.4	65.3	61.6	62.5	65.1	63.3	11,150
2	15.5	18.5	19.0	18.1	18.5	17.7	14.9	18.3	3,200
3	5.0	7.2	6.9	7.3	8.3	7.2	8.9	7.7	1,350
4	1.9	3.5	3.2	3.3	4.0	3.5	3.0	3.6	650
5	0.9	2.3	1.4	2.1	2.0	1.9	1.3	1.9	350
6+	5.1	3.4	3.0	4.0	5.6	7.2	6.9	5.1	900
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
Total (%)	2.4	11.6	7.7	14.8	49.5	12.5	1.5	100.0	
Total (number)	450	2,050	1,350	2,600	8,700	2,200	250		17,600
Mean number of support periods	1.79	1.79	1.73	1.98	2.38	2.66	2.79		2.23
Per 10,000 population Notes	16	131	131	104	82	28	7		58

Sources: SAAP Client Collection; ABS 2001a.

^{1.} Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 308.

 ^{&#}x27;Per 10,000 population' shows how many people out of every 10,000 in the general population become SAAP clients. The rate is estimated by comparing the number of SAAP clients with the estimated resident population in the designated age group as at 30 June 2000 (final estimates). For the age group under 15 years, only those aged 10 to 14 are included in the calculations.

^{3.} Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Table 3.7: SAAP support periods: region by client group, Queensland, 2000-01 (per cent)

Region	Male alone	Female alone	Couple no children	Couple with children	Male with children	Female with children	Other	Total	-	Γotal
									%	Number
Gold Coast	47.6	32.6	1.3	2.4	0.7	15.1	0.3	100.0	7.2	2,450
Ipswich & Logan	19.6	35.5	4.4	11.2	1.6	27.0	0.7	100.0	2.3	800
Brisbane City	69.0	17.7	2.0	1.8	0.8	8.3	0.3	100.0	25.2	8,650
Sunshine Coast	34.2	34.6	2.7	4.4	1.7	22.1	0.3	100.0	3.0	1,050
Caboolture & Redcliffe Peninsula	26.4	32.4	1.1	16.8	2.3	21.0	_	100.0	1.0	350
Toowoomba & South-West	57.5	16.6	1.8	4.4	1.0	18.1	0.6	100.0	4.3	1,450
Wide Bay Burnett	47.8	15.9	1.2	5.4	2.6	26.7	0.3	100.0	4.2	1,450
Central	42.2	25.0	2.8	3.2	0.5	25.1	1.2	100.0	4.9	1,700
Mackay & Whitsundays	53.1	13.9	0.4	3.6	0.9	27.2	0.9	100.0	2.3	800
Townsville & Hinterlands	35.8	32.3	1.3	8.2	1.4	21.0	0.1	100.0	7.8	2,700
Cairns & Tablelands	68.1	23.5	2.7	0.4	0.2	5.0	0.1	100.0	32.3	11,100
Remote & North-West	13.7	34.4	0.7	2.8	_	48.3	0.1	100.0	5.6	1,950
Total (%)	55.8	24.0	2.1	2.8	0.8	14.4	0.3	100.0	100.0	
Total (number)	19,200	8,250	700	950	250	4,950	100			34,400

Sources: SAAP Client and Administrative Data Collections.

^{1.} Number excluded due to errors and omissions (unweighted): 1,215.

^{2.} Figures are unweighted and have not been adjusted for agency non-participation.

Table 3.8: SAAP support periods: client group, by primary target group of agency, Queensland, 2000–01 (per cent)

Client group	Young people	Single men only	Single women only	Families	Women escaping DV	Cross- target/ multiple/ general	T	otal
							%	Number
Male alone, under 25	40.4	16.3	_	2.4	_	7.8	13.7	5,150
Male alone, 25+	0.9	81.5	0.6	5.8	0.8	61.3	41.3	15,450
Female alone, under 25	41.5	0.3	12.9	2.4	7.5	4.3	11.0	4,100
Female alone, 25+	1.3	0.8	86.5	6.0	35.1	15.2	13.2	4,950
Couple, no children	2.0	0.4	_	3.1	0.3	3.3	2.1	800
Couple with children	1.4	0.1	_	30.0	1.9	1.7	2.8	1,050
Male with children	0.3	0.6	_	6.4	_	0.6	0.8	300
Female with children	10.5	0.1	_	43.0	54.1	5.5	14.6	5,450
Other	1.6	0.1	_	0.8	0.4	0.2	0.5	200
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
Total (%)	18.5	16.2	0.6	5.0	14.9	44.8	100.0	
Total (number)	6,900	6,050	200	1,850	5,550	16,800		37,400

Sources: SAAP Client and Administrative Data Collections.

^{1.} Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 1,059.

^{2.} To ensure client confidentiality, percentages based on fewer than three support periods (weighted) have been replaced by '—'.

^{3.} Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Table 3.9: SAAP support periods: main reason for seeking assistance by client group, Queensland, 2000–01 (per cent)

	Male alone	Male	Female alone	Female	Couple	Couple	Male	Female		
Main reason for seeking assistance	under 25	alone 25+	under 25	alone 25+	no children	with children	with children	with children	Other	Total
Usual accommodation unavailable	20.1	11.2	10.5	2.9	17.0	11.4	9.7	4.5	18.0	10.0
Time out from family/other situation	11.5	5.2	11.5	4.5	4.4	8.0	7.0	4.1	5.1	7.1
Relationship/family breakdown	14.8	6.0	19.0	3.9	5.4	4.5	22.6	5.9	33.5	9.5
Interpersonal conflict	4.0	2.7	6.4	1.9	2.9	2.3	0.7	1.5	6.9	3.1
Physical/emotional abuse	1.3	1.3	3.4	5.1	1.7	0.3	3.0	8.1	5.1	3.8
Domestic violence	8.0	0.6	10.9	52.1	5.9	9.1	4.1	55.2	11.4	23.1
Sexual abuse	_	_	1.2	0.9	_	_	_	0.3	2.0	0.4
Financial difficulty	9.9	31.8	3.1	11.8	18.2	17.5	21.2	5.3	7.8	13.1
Gambling	_	0.4	_	0.1	_	0.3	0.7	_	_	0.1
Eviction/previous accommodation ended	15.0	3.8	12.7	4.2	16.0	26.4	17.5	6.9	2.0	9.4
Drug/alcohol/substance abuse	2.7	9.4	1.7	1.7	1.2	0.9	_	0.4	6.4	3.1
Emergency accommodation ended	1.6	0.2	1.7	0.4	0.5	0.1	1.1	0.4	_	0.8
Recently left institution	2.7	2.4	1.2	1.1	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.2	_	1.4
Psychiatric illness	0.8	4.2	0.4	0.7	1.7	_	_	0.2	_	1.3
Recent arrival to area with no means of support	6.7	14.1	4.0	4.1	9.3	13.7	7.2	3.1	1.9	6.9
Itinerant	3.2	5.8	1.9	1.3	5.9	1.1	1.0	0.6	_	2.5
Other	4.9	0.8	10.5	3.4	9.4	3.5	3.4	3.2	_	4.3
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Total (%)	17.9	20.8	16.1	13.8	1.5	4.7	0.8	24.1	0.4	100.0
Total (number)	3,450	4,000	3,100	2,650	300	900	150	4,650	50	19,350

^{1.} Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 1,128.

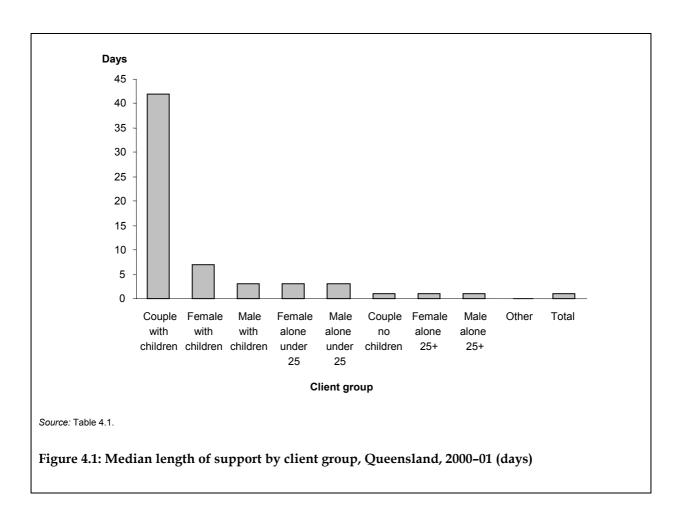
^{2.} Excludes high-volume records because not all items were included on the high-volume form.

^{3.} The percentage reporting 'gambling' as their main reason may be an underestimate: this reason was not collected for the first half of the year by agencies using the electronic reporting tool.

^{4.} Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

4 Support provided

4.1 Key chart



4.2 Tables

Table 4.1: SAAP closed support periods: length of support by client group, Queensland, 2000–01 (per cent)

Length of support	Male alone under 25	Male alone 25+	Female alone under 25	Female alone 25+	no	Couple with children	with	Female with children	Other	т	otal
										%	Number
Less than 1 day	9.8	9.1	17.4	22.8	23.6	22.2	32.0	12.1	53.1	13.3	4,650
1 day	28.7	54.0	26.3	44.3	47.9	10.6	12.3	13.3	11.6	39.2	13,750
2 days	6.7	4.6	5.5	5.1	3.3	3.2	4.0	9.2	2.1	5.6	1,950
3 days	6.2	3.6	3.5	3.6	1.6	1.2	2.7	8.5	2.1	4.5	1,600
4 days	4.0	2.7	2.6	1.4	0.3	0.8	1.1	2.7	0.8	2.6	900
5 days	2.9	1.9	2.4	1.1	0.7	0.2	0.6	2.1	1.4	1.9	700
6 days	2.9	1.9	1.9	1.1	0.8	0.6	1.1	1.9	_	1.9	650
7 days	2.5	1.8	2.6	1.1	1.4	0.4	1.6	2.3	1.7	1.9	700
>1-2 weeks	9.5	7.7	8.7	4.6	1.5	1.8	5.5	7.9	4.0	7.4	2,600
>2-4 weeks	8.5	5.0	9.0	3.8	3.9	2.4	6.0	9.9	7.0	6.4	2,250
>4-13 weeks	11.7	5.9	10.5	7.6	8.3	23.7	16.5	15.9	5.4	9.2	3,250
>13-26 weeks	3.8	1.1	4.8	1.9	2.7	21.6	7.0	7.2	7.3	3.3	1,150
>26-52 weeks	2.0	0.4	3.1	0.9	3.7	8.6	6.5	4.9	2.1	1.9	650
>52 weeks	0.8	0.2	1.6	0.6	0.4	2.7	3.0	2.1	1.3	0.8	300
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
Total (%)	13.9	43.1	10.7	13.7	2.1	2.0	0.6	13.4	0.5	100.0	
Total (number)	4,900	15,100	3,750	4,800	700	700	250	4,700	150		35,000
Mean length (days)	24	10	32	16	21	83	52	46	27		22
Median length (days)	3	1	3	1	1	42	3	7	0		1

Notes

^{1.} Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 1,670.

^{2.} Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Table 4.2: SAAP closed support periods in which clients were accommodated: total length of accommodation by client group, Queensland, 2000–01 (per cent)

Length of accommodation	Male alone under 25	Male alone 25+	Female alone under 25	Female alone 25+	no	Couple with children	Male with children	with	Other	То	otal
										%	Number
1 day	34.3	59.9	39.6	62.8	75.1	13.8	18.0	18.5	23.9	48.8	12,900
2 days	8.2	5.2	8.0	7.3	3.4	3.8	5.7	12.2	6.3	7.0	1,850
3 days	7.3	4.1	5.3	5.3	2.4	1.9	1.1	11.6	6.3	5.7	1,500
4 days	5.2	3.1	3.9	2.0	0.8	1.3	3.0	3.7	2.4	3.3	900
5 days	3.9	2.2	3.4	1.7	0.8	0.5	1.1	2.6	4.2	2.5	650
6 days	3.6	2.3	2.6	1.7	1.7	0.8	1.9	2.8	_	2.4	650
7 days	3.1	2.1	2.5	1.6	0.9	0.9	2.9	2.5	5.0	2.2	600
>1-2 weeks	11.3	9.0	10.7	6.1	1.4	2.6	9.4	9.1	11.6	8.9	2,350
>2-4 weeks	9.4	5.4	9.6	4.8	2.9	4.8	6.9	9.9	22.5	6.8	1,800
>4-13 weeks	10.2	5.1	9.4	5.6	4.4	31.5	26.7	16.3	11.0	8.3	2,200
>13-26 weeks	2.3	1.0	2.7	1.1	3.7	27.7	14.8	6.4	6.8	2.7	700
>26-52 weeks	0.9	0.3	1.6	0.2	2.4	8.8	4.7	3.7	_	1.1	300
>52 weeks	0.4	0.1	0.7	0.1	_	1.6	3.7	0.6	_	0.3	100
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
Total (%)	14.5	48.3	8.7	11.9	1.6	1.9	0.5	12.3	0.2	100.0	
Total (number)	3,850	12,800	2,300	3,150	450	500	150	3,250	50		26,500
Mean length (days)	17	10	20	8	17	89	72	34	21		16
Median length (days)	4	1	3	1	1	62	34	6	9		2
Accommodation starting and endin on the same date (number)	g 50	150	50	100	_	<25	<25	100	_		450

^{1.} Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 807.

^{2.} Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Table 4.3: SAAP closed support periods in which clients were accommodated: total length of accommodation, by type of accommodation provided, Queensland, 2000–01 (per cent)

Length of accommodation	Crisis/ short-term accommodation	Medium-/ long-term accommodation	Other SAAP	Unknown	То	tal
					%	Number
1 day	51.2	0.9	99.4	23.0	51.9	14,050
2 days	5.7	0.6	0.1	8.0	5.3	1,450
3 days	4.4	0.6	0.1	1.1	4.1	1,100
4 days	3.7	1.3	_	4.0	3.4	950
5 days	2.7	0.1	_	5.2	2.6	700
6 days	2.6	0.3	_	5.2	2.4	650
7 days	2.4	0.6	0.1	2.3	2.2	600
>1–2 weeks	9.5	4.1	0.1	12.1	9.0	2,450
>2-4 weeks	7.1	6.3	_	14.4	6.8	1,850
>4-13 weeks	8.1	28.9	0.1	17.2	8.3	2,250
>13-26 weeks	2.0	28.4	_	2.3	2.6	700
>26-52 weeks	0.6	20.5	_	4.0	1.1	300
>52 weeks	0.1	7.4	0.2	1.1	0.3	100
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
Total (%)	92.3	2.7	4.4	0.7		
Total (number)	24,950	750	1,200	200		27,050
Mean length (days)	13	149	2	33		16
Median length (days)	1	105	1	8		1
Total accommodation (nights)	322,450	108,850	2,700	6,100		440,100
All accommodation sta ending on the same da (number)		<25	<25	100		500

^{1.} Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 200.

^{2.} Clients were able to be accommodated on more than one occasion in each support period, so percentages across types of accommodation provided do not total 100.

^{3.} Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation.

Table 4.4: SAAP support periods: services provided to clients, by client group, Queensland, 2000-01 (per cent)

Type of service	Male alone ınder 25	Male alone 25+	Female alone under 25	Female alone 25+	Couple no children	Couple with children	Male with children	Female with children	Other	Total
Housing/accommodation	85.8	88.1	71.7	73.0	72.6	73.1	67.7	75.8	42.1	81.1
SAAP/CAP accommodation	81.0	86.9	65.2	68.9	60.2	61.4	55.5	70.0	36.6	77.2
Assistance to obtain/maintain short-term accommodation	21.8	44.9	21.2	40.1	50.4	9.0	19.6	9.7	10.3	32.2
Assistance to obtain/maintain independent housing	11.7	3.8	13.0	4.9	10.9	23.1	18.6	19.6	11.1	9.1
Financial/employment	38.5	53.6	41.9	65.2	69.7	50.7	53.5	51.1	23.5	51.5
Assistance to obtain/maintain										
government payment	17.9	42.4	20.5	39.0	43.6	5.3	16.7	15.8	11.0	31.0
Employment/training assistance		0.5	4.6	0.5	2.6	2.2	3.1	1.4	2.5	2.0
Financial assistance/material aid		51.2	33.6	61.8	62.7	38.3	44.4	42.0	22.1	46.1
Financial counselling	7.4	2.7	6.4	3.3	8.9	22.3	15.8	10.4	4.3	5.7
Counselling	45.8	51.5	66.4	79.1	58.5	38.9	46.9	76.2	70.4	59.4
Incest/sexual assault	0.7	0.2	2.6	2.2	0.4	0.5	1.6	2.5	2.5	1.1
Domestic violence	1.0	0.4	8.1	23.2	2.6	3.9	5.1	36.3	6.9	9.8
Family/relationship	21.7	42.9	29.9	42.6	46.7	13.4	24.2	18.7	55.0	34.2
Emotional/other	31.1	10.1	48.1	41.4	15.4	34.3	35.0	69.6	53.9	31.1
Assist. with problem gambling	0.3	0.6	_	0.3	_	0.6	2.2	0.4	0.7	0.4
General support/advocacy	74.1	77.9	74.9	79.4	71.8	68.7	71.0	77.5	84.9	76.8
Living skills/personal development	32.0	7.2	29.3	9.6	8.5	14.2	13.6	16.6	10.0	15.0
Assistance with legal issues/court support	16.2	42.3	17.7	40.8	42.2	4.8	13.9	15.7	8.7	30.6
Advice/information	61.9	67.3	62.8	73.3	67.1	61.4	64.8	69.0	79.8	67.0
Retrieval/storage/removal of belongings	32.3	61.2	26.5	41.2	45.8	6.5	20.7	12.6	4.5	41.3
Advocacy/liaison	23.0	10.3	22.5	17.6	16.2	24.5	34.1	33.5	17.2	18.4
Brokerage services	1.1	0.3	1.3	1.4	0.2	0.6	3.7	1.4	_	0.9
Specialist services	31.1	57.6	34.9	45.6	46.9	7.1	19.6	26.4	14.2	43.3
Psychological services	0.8	0.3	0.7	0.2	_	_	0.9	0.2	1.2	0.4
Psychiatric services	1.7	2.5	0.5	0.5	_	0.2	2.8	0.5	1.2	1.5
Pregnancy support	_	_	7.4	0.7	1.5	1.7	_	3.7	1.5	1.5
Family planning support	0.3	_	2.0	0.2	0.9	0.6	_	1.4	0.8	0.5
Drug/alcohol support/intervention	n 19.3	46.2	17.1	36.7	42.1	1.5	11.7	2.2	7.0	29.9
Physical disability services	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.2	_	_	_	0.1	_	0.1
Intellectual disability services	0.1	_	_	_	0.2	0.1	_	0.1	_	0.1
Culturally appropriate support	14.4	41.6	14.6	37.4	40.7	2.5	8.0	11.5	4.8	28.5
Interpreter services	0.1	_	0.2	0.6	_	0.2	_	1.4	_	0.3
Assist. with immigration issues	0.1	_	0.1	0.6	_	_	0.6	0.6	_	0.2
Health/medical services	21.0	45.4	23.7	30.6	39.7	2.4	9.6	13.2	2.9	31.3
Basic support & services n.e.s	. 77.6	83.7	73.4	77.3	66.1	34.6	46.8	70.4	46.2	76.8
Meals	69.3	82.6	56.2	66.3	54.6	15.7	28.0	44.6	23.8	67.1
Laundry/shower facilities	68.1	81.1	53.9	65.1	51.0	13.6	24.2	39.6	18.9	65.0
Recreation	44.3	22.8	36.8	15.3	4.0	2.7	12.4	34.0	22.5	26.9
Transport	37.3	10.7	44.6	27.4	16.5	18.0	25.8	51.1	24.9	26.6
Other	11.7	2.6	10.5	5.0	3.3	5.3	10.2	22.2	6.1	8.0
No services provided	2.0	1.9	1.6	1.8	4.6	2.1	8.7	1.3	3.8	1.9
Total (number) Notes	5,050	15,250	3,950	4,850	800	1,050	300	5,350	200	36,750

Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 1,740 (including cases with no information on service requirements or provision). 1.

Clients were able to receive multiple services, so percentages do not total 100. 2.

The percentages reporting assistance with problem gambling or immigration issues may be underestimates: information on these services was not specifically collected for the first half of the year by agencies using the electronic reporting tool. These services may have been reported under other 3. categories.

Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.
 Source: SAAP Client Collection.

5 Meeting the needs of clients

5.1 Key chart

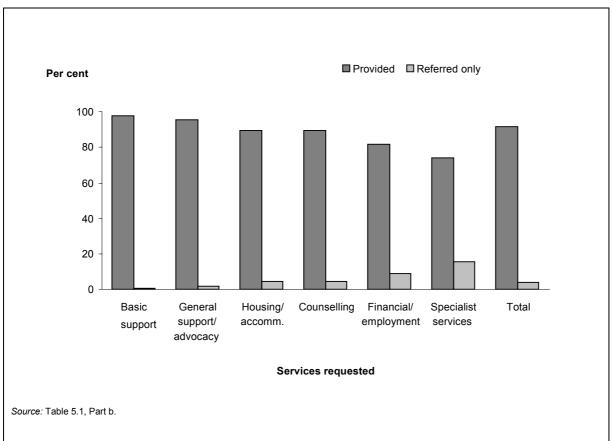


Figure 5.1: Provision of services requested by clients, Queensland, 2000–01 (per cent services requested in closed support periods)

5.2 Tables

Table 5.1: SAAP services requested by clients in closed support periods, by provision, Queensland, 2000–01

Part a: Individual types of SAAP services requested in closed support periods, by provision (per cent closed support periods)

	Not	provided			Provided			Closed
	Neither			·-	Provided			support
	provided nor	Referred		Provided	and			periods
Type of service	referred on	on	Subtotal	only	referred on	Subtotal	Total	(number)
Housing/accommodation								
SAAP/CAP accommodation	2.6	2.0	4.6	94.3	1.1	95.4	100.0	29,050
Assistance to obtain/maintain short-term	40.0	44.0		=0.4			400.0	0.400
accommodation	18.9	14.6	33.5	50.1	16.5	66.6	100.0	3,100
Assistance to obtain/maintain independent housing	18.8	12.8	31.6	51.1	17.3	68.4	100.0	4,300
Financial/employment								
Assistance to obtain/maintain								
benefit/pension	9.4	13.1	22.5	54.1	23.3	77.4	100.0	2,000
Employment/training assistance	18.2	25.2	43.4	39.3	17.3	56.6	100.0	1,050
Financial assistance/material aid	7.2	6.3	13.5	80.8	5.7	86.5	100.0	7,100
Financial counselling	11.9	5.4	17.3	78.0	4.6	82.6	100.0	1,950
Counselling								
Incest/sexual assault	10.8	19.5	30.3	51.8	18.0	69.8	100.0	500
Domestic violence	6.9	7.6	14.5	75.3	10.2	85.5	100.0	2,900
Family/relationship	9.7	8.4	18.1	73.1	8.7	81.8	100.0	3,050
Emotional/other	3.1	1.1	4.2	92.8	3.0	95.8	100.0	9,000
Assistance with problem gambling	36.0	14.0	50.0	35.6	14.4	50.0	100.0	250
General support/advocacy								
Living skills/personal development	6.6	1.9	8.5	89.1	2.5	91.6	100.0	4,750
Assistance with legal issues/court support	8.3	19.2	27.5	51.7	20.8	72.5	100.0	1,900
Advice/information	1.2	0.2	1.4	95.6	3.0	98.6	100.0	13,200
Retrieval/storage/removal of personal	1.2	0.2	1.4	30.0	0.0	30.0	100.0	10,200
belongings	2.5	0.7	3.2	94.5	2.3	96.8	100.0	4,950
Advocacy/liaison on behalf of client	1.3	0.4	1.7	93.3	5.0	98.3	100.0	5,650
Brokerage services	5.1	4.4	9.5	87.5	2.9	90.4	100.0	300
Specialist services								
Psychological services	23.4	37.3	60.7	17.9	21.4	39.3	100.0	250
Psychiatric services	19.2	28.8	48.0	18.0	34.0	52.0	100.0	900
Pregnancy support	6.1	14.0	20.1	58.8	21.1	79.9	100.0	400
Family planning support	18.2	20.3	38.5	40.6	20.9	61.5	100.0	200
Drug/alcohol support or rehabilitation	21.1	14.3	35.4	40.1	24.6	64.7	100.0	2,200
Physical disability services	24.6	36.1	60.7	27.9	11.5	39.4	100.0	50
Intellectual disability services	40.3	32.3	72.6	16.1	11.3	27.4	100.0	50
Culturally appropriate support	1.6	2.6	4.2	90.8	5.0	95.8	100.0	2,200
Interpreter services	6.8	21.1	27.9	57.1	14.9	72.0	100.0	150
Assistance with immigration issues	4.2	24.2	28.4	35.8	35.8	71.6	100.0	100
Health/medical services	5.8	17.5	23.3	56.1	20.6	76.7	100.0	4,500
Basic support and services n.e.s.	0.0	17.5	20.0	00.1	20.0	70.7	100.0	4,000
Meals	1.5	0.5	2.0	96.7	1.4	98.1	100.0	14,500
Laundry/shower facilities	1.1	0.5	1.2	98.0	0.8	98.8	100.0	13,800
Recreation	2.1	0.1	2.5	96.0	1.4	98.8 97.5	100.0	8,200
Transport	2.1		2.5 3.1	95.6	1.4	97.5 96.9	100.0	9,100
Other	1.7	0.5 2.1	3.1 3.8	92.4	3.7	96.9 96.1	100.0	2,100

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Table 5.1 (continued): SAAP services requested by clients in closed support periods, by provision, Queensland, 2000-01

Part b: Broad types of SAAP services requested in closed support periods, by provision

	No	t provided			Provided				
Broad type of service re	Neither provided nor eferred on	Referred on	Sub- total	Provided only	Provided and referred on	Sub- total	Total	Distinct services requested	Assoc. closed support periods
		%	distinct s	ervices req	uested			Number	Number
Housing/accommodation	5.9	4.3	10.2	85.5	4.3	89.8	100.0	36,450	30,750
Financial/employment	9.3	9.0	18.3	72.3	9.4	81.7	100.0	12,050	9,050
Counselling	5.9	4.5	10.4	83.4	6.1	89.5	100.0	15,700	10,200
General support/advocacy	2.7	1.8	4.5	91.2	4.3	95.5	100.0	30,700	16,000
Specialist services	10.1	15.6	25.7	54.9	19.4	74.3	100.0	11,150	8,200
Basic support and services n.e.	.s. 1.7	0.4	2.1	96.5	1.3	97.8	100.0	47,700	16,950
Total (%)	4.5	3.8	8.4	86.6	5.1	91.6	100.0		
Total (number)	7,000	5,850	12,850	133,150	7,750	140,900		153,750	35,050

Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 731 closed support periods (including cases with no information on service requirements or provision).

In groups of service types, a client may require more than one type of service within the group. Percentages for broad groups relate to
all needs and not to support periods. For individual types of services, a need can be recorded only once within a support period, so percentages
relate to support periods.

^{3.} The numbers relating to assistance with problem gambling or immigration issues may be underestimates: information on these services was not specifically collected for the first half of the year by agencies using the electronic reporting tool. These services may have been reported under other categories.

^{4.} Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation.

Table 5.2: SAAP services requested by clients in closed support periods that were neither provided nor referred on: broad type of service by client group, Queensland, 2000–01

	Male alone	Female alone	Couple no children	Couple with children	Male with children	Female with children	Other	To	otal
Broad type of service			%	unmet nee	ds			%	Number
Housing/accommodation	19.9	20.7	34.4	63.0	55.8	46.2	51.9	30.9	2,100
Financial/employment	16.8	16.8	24.0	11.9	12.5	14.9	14.8	16.1	1,100
Counselling	13.0	17.8	8.2	7.1	10.0	11.7	14.8	13.4	900
General support/advocacy	12.2	14.6	12.6	6.1	6.7	11.1	3.7	12.0	800
Specialist services	24.5	14.8	13.7	6.3	7.5	9.2	11.1	16.1	1,100
Basic support and services n.e.s.	13.6	15.2	7.1	5.7	7.5	6.9	3.7	11.6	800
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	6,800
Summary totals									
Total unmet needs (%)	34.9	30.1	2.9	10.1	1.9	19.6	0.4	100.0	
Total unmet needs (number)	2,350	2,050	200	700	150	1,350	50		6,800
Total closed support periods with unmet needs (%)	38.4	25.5	2.5	9.7	2.3	21.2	0.4	100.0	
Total closed support periods with unmet needs (number)	1,350	900	100	350	100	750	<25		3,500
Total closed support periods (%)	56.8	23.9	2.1	2.6	0.7	13.7	0.3	100.0	
Total closed support periods (number)	19,800	8,350	700	900	250	4,800	100		34,900

^{1.} Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 185 identified unmet needs.

Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 1,767 closed support periods (including cases with no information on service requirements or provision).

^{3.} Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation.

6 Circumstances of clients before and after support

6.1 Key chart

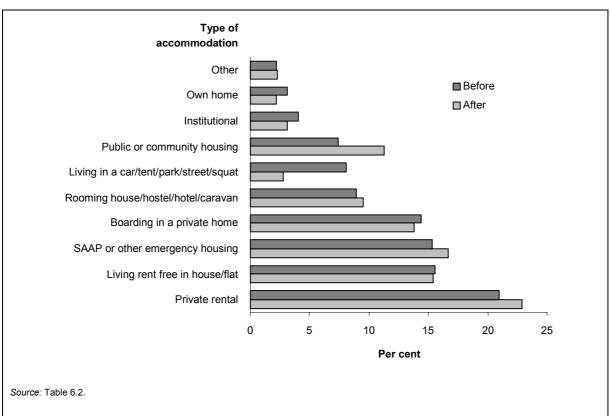


Figure 6.1: Type of accommodation immediately before and after a support period, Queensland, 2000–01 (per cent closed support periods)

6.2 Tables

Table 6.1: SAAP closed support periods: source of income immediately before and after a support period, Queensland, 2000–01 (per cent)

	losed support periods in veloced assistance to obtain pension or bene	n/maintain a	All closed support p	eriods
Source of income	Before	After	Before	After
No income	18.8	7.4	11.8	8.9
No income, awaiting pension/benefit	4.0	3.1	1.8	1.5
Government pension/benefit	66.6	84.1	78.4	81.5
Other	10.6	5.3	7.9	8.1
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Total (number with valid data)	1,850	1,650	16,050	14,400
Number with missing data	300	450	2,700	4,400
Total (number)	2,100	2,100	18,800	18,800

Notes

^{1.} Table excludes high-volume records because not all items were included on the high-volume form.

^{2.} Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Table 6.2: SAAP closed support periods: type of accommodation immediately before and after a support period, Queensland, 2000–01 (per cent)

	Closed support period clients needed assis obtain/maintain indepen	stance to	All closed support p	eriods
Type of accommodation	Before	After	Before	After
SAAP or other emergency housing	15.5	12.5	15.3	16.7
Living rent-free in house/flat	18.2	13.8	15.6	15.4
Private rental	19.1	29.3	21.0	22.9
Public or community housing	4.9	17.2	7.4	11.3
Rooming house/hostel/ hotel/caravan	8.3	7.5	8.9	9.5
Boarding in a private home	20.8	14.7	14.4	13.8
Own home	3.0	0.7	3.1	2.2
Living in a car/tent/park/ street/squat	6.2	0.8	8.1	2.8
Institutional	2.5	1.4	4.0	3.1
Other	1.5	2.2	2.2	2.3
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Total (number with valid data)	3,550	2,800	16,400	12,150
Number with missing data	150	900	2,400	6,650
Total (number)	3,700	3,700	18,800	18,800

^{1.} Table excludes high-volume records because not all items were included on the high-volume form.

^{2.} Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Table 6.3: SAAP closed support periods: living situation immediately before and after a support period, Queensland, 2000–01 (per cent)

Living situation	Before	After
With parent(s)	11.3	9.8
With foster family	1.0	0.7
With relatives/friends short-term	18.1	18.9
With relatives/friends long-term	3.3	5.4
With spouse/partner with/without children	27.1	17.0
Alone with children	8.4	16.5
Alone	15.9	16.3
With other unrelated persons	14.1	14.4
Other	0.9	1.1
Total	100.0	100.0
Total (number with valid data)	16,500	12,700
Number with missing data	2,300	6,050
Total (number)	18,800	18,800

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

Table 6.4: SAAP closed support periods: employment status immediately before and after a support period, Queensland, 2000–01 (per cent)

	Closed support perio clients needed ass employment and	istance in	All closed support p	eriods
Employment status	Before	After	Before	After
Employed full-time	2.6	7.8	2.6	3.4
Employed part-time/casual	7.4	11.6	5.7	5.9
Unemployed (looking for work)	55.7	50.8	33.5	31.0
Not in labour force	34.4	29.7	58.1	59.8
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Total (number with valid data)	1,000	800	16,350	14,250
Number with missing data	50	250	2,450	4,500
Total (number)	1,050	1,050	18,800	18,800

Notes

^{1.} Table excludes high-volume records because not all items were included on the high-volume form.

^{2.} Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

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7 Support to accompanying children

7.1 Key chart

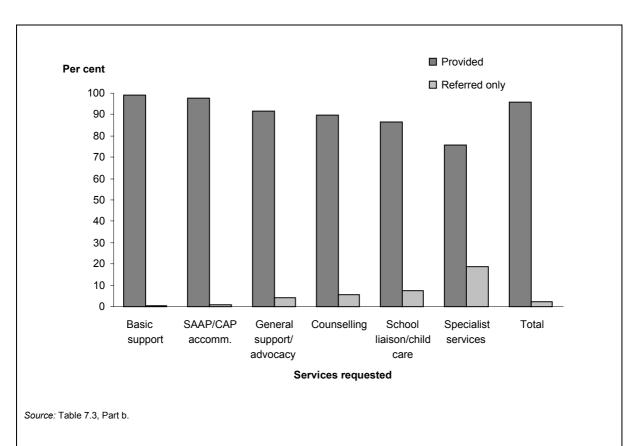


Figure 7.1: Provision of services requested for accompanying children, Queensland, 1 January – 30 June 2001 (per cent distinct services requested in closed accompanying child support periods)

7.2 Tables

Table 7.1: Accompanying child support periods, by age and by gender of child, Queensland, support periods active 1 January – 30 June 2001

	Accompanying c	hild support periods
Age	%	Number
0–4 years	44.8	1,950
5–12 years	46.3	2,000
13–15 years	7.1	300
16, 17 years	1.9	100
Total	100.0	4,300
Gender		
Male	50.1	1,900
Female	49.9	1,900
Total	100.0	3,800

Notes

- 1. Number excluded due to errors and omissions in age (unweighted): 628.
- 2. Number excluded due to errors and omissions in gender (unweighted): 1,111.
- 3. Table excludes high-volume records because not all items were included on the high-volume form.
- 4. Figures are unweighted and have not been adjusted for agency non-participation.

Table 7.2: Accompanying child support periods: services provided to accompanying children, by client group, Queensland, support periods active 1 January – 30 June 2001

Type of service	Couple with children	Male with children	Female with children	To	tal
Accompanying child support periods		%		%	Number
Accommodation	81.2	% 81.7	85.5	% 85.0	4,100
SAAP/CAP accommodation	81.2	81.7 81.7	85.5	85.0	4,100
School liaison/child care	5.9	17.1	27.7	25.5	4, 100 1,250
School liaison	4.2	11.0	10.6	10.0	500
Child care	1.9	12.2	21.9	19.9	950
Counselling	8.0	26.8	35.3	32.7	1,550
Help with behavioural problems	1.6	4.9	19.4	17.6	850
Sexual/physical abuse counselling/support	_	_	1.8	1.6	100
Skills education	0.2	3.7	1.1	1.1	50
General counselling/support	6.8	25.6	20.7	19.5	950
General support/advocacy	8.7	37.8	18.8	18.2	850
Access arrangements	0.5	2.4	1.8	1.7	100
Advice/information	3.5	19.5	13.0	12.2	600
Brokerage services	_	2.4	0.2	0.2	<25
Advocacy	5.4	29.3	8.8	8.9	450
Specialist services	1.4	14.6	8.5	8.0	400
Culturally sensitive services	0.2	3.7	2.8	2.6	100
Health/medical services	1.2	11.0	6.2	5.9	300
Basic support and other services n.e.s.	30.3	25.6	72.2	67.6	3,250
Meals	17.4	14.6	54.9	50.8	2,450
Showers/hygiene	11.5	7.3	42.8	39.3	1,900
Recreation	2.6	9.8	45.4	40.9	1,950
Transport	12.7	17.1	58.9	54.0	2,600
Other	4.9	13.4	12.7	12.0	600
No services provided directly by agency	6.1	3.7	2.6	2.9	150
Total accompanying child support periods	(%) 8.9	1.7	89.2	100.0	
Total accompanying child support periods (number)	450	100	4,300		4,800
Support periods with accompanying childr	en requiring ass	sistance			
Total support periods (%)	8.2	2.2	89.4	100.0	
Total support periods (number)	200	50	2,000		2,250
Mean number of accompanying children requiring assistance	2.29	1.67	2.12		2.12

- 1. Number excluded due to errors and omissions (unweighted): 132 accompanying child support periods.
- 2. Number excluded due to errors and omissions (unweighted): 67 support periods.
- 3. Table excludes high-volume records because not all items were included on the high-volume form.
- 4. 'Accompanying child support periods' includes cases where it was reported that support and/or accommodation were needed by, provided to or referred on for the accompanying child.
- 5. Accompanying children were able to receive multiple services, so percentages do not total 100.
- 6. An accompanying child may be counted in more than one support period, so the total number of accompanying child support periods does not equal the actual number of accompanying children requiring assistance.
- 7. Although each member of a couple has an individual support period, in this table a couple presenting with children contributes only one support period. The table is therefore not directly comparable with other tables showing the number of support periods by client group.
- 8. In a very small number of support periods, people in the 'other' client group presented with children. To ensure confidentiality, these cases are not presented separately but are included in the total.
- Figures are unweighted and have not been adjusted for agency non-participation.

Table 7.3: SAAP services requested for accompanying children in closed support periods, by provision, Queensland, support periods active 1 January – 30 June 2001

Part a: Individual types of SAAP services requested for accompanying children in closed support periods, by provision (per cent closed accompanying child support periods)

	N	ot provided			Provided			Closed
Type of service	Neither provided nor referred on	Referred	Subtotal	Provided only	Provided and referred on	Subtotal	Total	accomp- anying child support periods (number)
Accommodation	referred on	Oii	Subtotal	Only	OII	Jubiolai	TOtal	(Hulliber)
SAAP/CAP accommodation	1.1	1.1	2.2	96.6	1.1	97.7	100.0	3,250
School liaison/child care								5,255
School liaison	8.3	6.5	14.8	76.0	9.3	85.3	100.0	400
Child care	5.0	8.1	13.1	81.0	5.8	86.8	100.0	950
Counselling								
Help with behavioural problems	4.5	3.9	8.4	85.9	5.7	91.6	100.0	800
Sexual/physical abuse counselling/support	12.4	40.7	53.1	31.9	15.0	46.9	100.0	100
Skills education	15.7	5.9	21.6	72.5	5.9	78.4	100.0	50
General counselling/support	2.9	2.1	5.0	91.7	3.2	94.9	100.0	750
General support/advocacy								
Access arrangements	15.5	33.3	48.8	40.5	10.7	51.2	100.0	100
Advice/information	2.2	1.8	4.0	91.6	4.4	96.0	100.0	500
Brokerage services	_	_	_	83.3	16.7	100.0	100.0	<25
Advocacy	3.5	1.2	4.7	91.1	4.3	95.4	100.0	350
Specialist services								
Culturally sensitive services	4.1	1.6	5.7	86.2	8.1	94.3	100.0	100
Health/medical services	6.4	24.5	30.9	44.3	24.8	69.1	100.0	350
Basic support and other services n.e.s.								
Meals	0.3	0.4	0.7	98.6	0.7	99.3	100.0	2,100
Showers/hygiene	0.4	0.1	0.5	98.8	0.7	99.5	100.0	1,650
Recreation	0.7	0.2	0.9	97.8	1.4	99.2	100.0	1,750
Transport	0.8	0.2	1.0	98.3	0.7	99.0	100.0	2,300
Other	0.4	1.1	1.5	89.3	9.2	98.5	100.0	450
Further other	7.8	6.7	14.5	61.1	24.4	85.5	100.0	100

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Table 7.3 (continued): SAAP services requested for accompanying children in closed support periods, by provision, Queensland, support periods active 1 January — 30 June 2001

Part b: Broad types of SAAP services requested for accompanying children in closed support periods, by provision

	Not provided		Provided					Assoc.	
Broad type of service	Neither provided nor referred on	Referred on	Sub- total	Provided only	Provided and referred on	Sub- total	Total	Distinct services Total requested	accomp- anying child support periods
		% d	istinct se	ervices requ	uested			Number	Number
Accommodation	1.1	1.1	2.2	96.6	1.1	97.7	100.0	3,250	3,250
School liaison/child care	6.0	7.6	13.6	79.6	6.8	86.4	100.0	1,300	1,150
Counselling	4.7	5.6	10.3	84.5	5.2	89.7	100.0	1,750	1,450
General support/advocacy	3.8	3 4.4	8.2	86.8	5.0	91.8	100.0	950	750
Specialist services	5.8	18.5	24.3	55.4	20.4	75.8	100.0	450	450
Basic support and other services n.e.s.	0.6	6 0.3	0.9	97.5	1.5	99.0	100.0	8,350	2,750
Total (%)	1.9	2.4	4.4	92.6	3.0	95.6	100.0		
Total (number)	300	400	700	14,900	500	15,400		16,050	3,750

- 1. Number excluded due to errors and omissions (unweighted): 0 closed accompanying child support periods.
- 2. Table excludes high-volume records because not all items were included on the high-volume form.
- 3. In groups of service types, an accompanying child may require more than one type of service within the group. Percentages for broad groups relate to all needs and not to support periods. For individual types of services, a need can be recorded only once within a support period, so percentages relate to accompanying child support periods.
- 4. Figures are unweighted and have not been adjusted for agency non-participation.

Table 7.4: SAAP services requested for accompanying children in closed support periods that were neither provided nor referred on: broad type of service, by client group, Queensland, 1 January - 30 June 2001

	Couple with children	Male with children	Female with children	7	Гotal
Broad type of service		% unmet needs		%	Number
Accommodation	20.0	_	12.3	11.8	50
School liaison/child care	36.7	32.3	23.5	25.7	100
Counselling	13.3	25.8	27.6	26.0	100
General support/advocacy	23.3	12.9	9.5	11.2	50
Specialist services Basic support and other	_	12.9	9.5	8.9	50
services n.e.s.	6.7	16.1	17.7	16.4	50
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	300
Summary totals					
Total unmet needs (%)	9.9	10.2	79.9	100.0	
Total unmet needs (number)	50	50	250		300
Total closed accompanying child support periods with unmet needs (%)	10.4	4.7	84.9	100.0	
Total closed accompanying child support periods with unmet needs (number)	s <25	<25	150		200
Total closed accompanying child support periods (%)	7.7	1.5	90.6	100.0	
Total closed accompanying child support periods (number)	300	50	3,650		4,050
Total closed support periods with accompanying children with unmeneeds (%)	et 11.0	4.7	84.3	100.0	
Total closed support periods with accompanying children with unmeneeds (number)	et <25	<25	100		150
Total closed support periods with accompanying children requiring assistance (%)	7.1	1.8	90.9	100.0	
Total closed support periods with accompanying children requiring assistance (number)	150	50	1,750		1,900

^{1.} Number excluded due to errors and omissions (unweighted): 8 unmet needs for accompanying children.

^{2.}

Number excluded due to omissions (unweighted): 61 closed accompanying child support periods.

Number excluded due to omissions (unweighted): 33 closed support periods with accompanying children requiring assistance. 3.

Table excludes high-volume records because not all items were included on the high-volume form.

^{5.} In a very small number of support periods people in the 'other' client group presented with children. To ensure confidentiality, these cases are not presented separately but are included in the total.

^{6.} Figures have not been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation.

8 Support from 1996–97 to 2000–01

8.1 Key charts

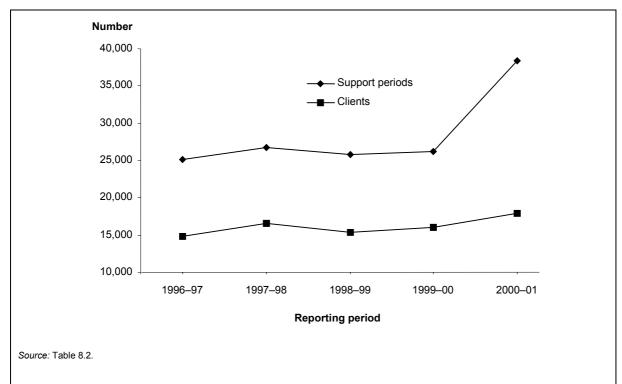
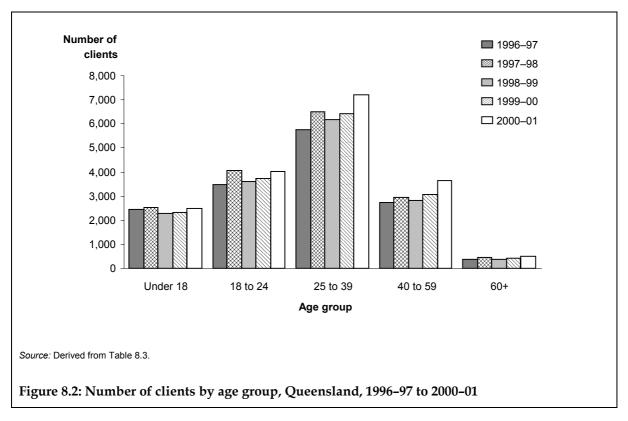
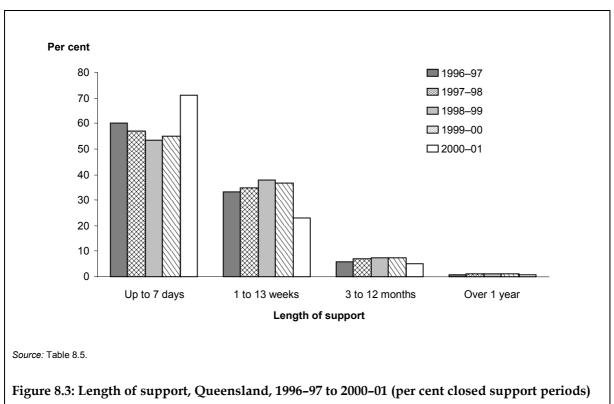


Figure 8.1: Number of SAAP support periods and clients, by reporting period, Queensland, 1996–97 to 2000–01





8.2 Tables

Table 8.1: SAAP funding to agencies and mean funding per support period and client: current and constant 2000-01 dollars, by reporting period, Queensland, 1996-97 to 2000-01

Reporting period	Total recurrent funding	Funding to agencies	Funding per support period	Funding per client
		Curren	t \$	
1996–97	31,119,000	28,027,000	1,120	1,890
1997–98	31,681,000	29,468,000	1,100	1,790
1998–99	32,782,000	31,049,000	1,210	2,030
1999–00	39,402,000	38,167,000	1,460	2,380
2000–01	42,960,000	42,268,000	1,100	2,360
		Constant 20	00–01 \$	
1996–97	34,495,000	31,068,000	1,240	2,090
1997–98	34,561,000	32,147,000	1,200	1,950
1998–99	35,058,000	33,205,000	1,290	2,170
1999–00	40,663,000	39,388,000	1,510	2,450
2000–01	42,960,000	42,268,000	1,100	2,360

Notes

- 1. Funding per support period and funding per client are based on recurrent allocations to agencies.
- 2. Support period figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation.
- 3. Client figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.
- 4. 'Total recurrent funding' for 1999–00 and 2000–01 includes relatively small amounts provided through the Partnerships Against Domestic Violence Program (Table 2.1; AIHW 2001: Table 2.1).

Sources: SAAP Administrative Data and Client Collections; AIHW 1997; AIHW 1999; AIHW 2000; AIHW 2001; FaCS unpublished data; ABS 2001b.

Table 8.2: SAAP support periods and clients, by reporting period, Queensland, 1996–97 to 2000–01

	1996–97	1997–98	1998–99	1999–00	2000–01
Support periods (number)	25,100	26,800	25,750	26,150	38,450
Clients (number)	14,850	16,500	15,300	16,050	17,900
Mean number of support periods per client	1.94	1.83	1.81	1.85	2.31
Clients per 10,000 population 10+	52	57	52	53	58

Notes

- 1. Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 0.
- 2. Numbers of clients in this table relate to clients that ever received assistance from a SAAP agency in Queensland.
- Some of the support periods for clients may have been at agencies in another State or Territory. Consequently, the number of clients
 multiplied by the average number of support periods for these clients is greater than the number of support periods provided within
 Oueensland
- 4. 'Clients per 10,000 population 10+' shows how many people out of every 10,000 aged 10 and over in the general population become SAAP clients. The rate is estimated by comparing the number of SAAP clients aged 10 and over with the estimated resident population aged 10 and over at 30 June just prior to the reporting period.
- 5. Support period figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation.
- Client figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Sources: SAAP Administrative Data and Client Collections; ABS 2001a.

Table 8.3: SAAP clients: age of client by reporting period, Queensland, 1996–97 to 2000–01 (per cent)

Age of client	1996–97	1997–98	1998–99	1999–00	2000–01
Under 15 years	2.4	2.4	2.8	2.6	2.4
15-17 years	14.1	13.0	12.2	12.0	11.5
18-19 years	7.3	8.3	8.4	8.1	7.7
20-24 years	16.2	16.2	15.3	15.2	14.8
25–29 years	14.3	15.2	14.9	15.3	14.2
30-34 years	13.5	13.3	13.7	13.1	14.3
35–39 years	11.1	11.0	11.9	11.9	11.8
40-44 years	7.3	7.2	7.6	7.9	9.3
45–49 years	5.3	5.0	5.2	5.2	5.4
50-54 years	3.6	3.3	3.8	3.8	3.9
55–59 years	2.3	2.3	1.9	2.4	1.9
60-64 years	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.3
65 years and over	1.5	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.5
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Total (number)	14,850	16,500	15,300	15,950	17,850
Mean age (years)	30.2	30.2	30.3	30.6	31.0
Median age (years)	28	28	28	29	29

^{1.} Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 150.

^{2.} Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Table 8.4: SAAP closed support periods: existence of a support plan by reporting period, Queensland, 1996–97 to 2000–01 (per cent)

Existence of					
support plan	1996–97	1997–98	1998–99	1999–00	2000–01
Support plan	43.6	48.8	50.6	54.0	60.2
All goals achieved	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	6.7
Most or some goals achieved	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	27.3
No goals achieved	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	3.5
No information given	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	22.7
No support plan	21.2	18.5	18.9	24.4	18.3
Not appropriate	35.2	32.7	30.5	21.6	21.5
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Total (number)	14,150	16,700	16,550	15,750	15,850

- 1. Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 9,831.
- 2. Table excludes high-volume records because not all items were included on the high-volume form.
- 3. Data on goal achievement were not collected before 2000–01. In addition, the percentage with 'No information given' on goal achievement is high for 2000–01: these data were not collected for the first half of the year by agencies using the electronic reporting tool.
- 4. Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation.

Table 8.5: SAAP closed support periods: length of support by reporting period, Queensland, 1996–97 to 2000–01 (per cent)

Length of support	1996–97	1997–98	1998–99	1999–00	2000–01
Less than 1 day	21.0	17.2	14.1	15.5	13.1
1 day	15.3	14.6	13.7	14.6	42.0
2 days	6.5	6.5	6.9	6.9	4.2
3 days	4.9	5.3	5.5	5.2	3.3
4 days	3.8	4.1	3.9	3.9	2.6
5 days	2.9	3.3	3.4	3.0	2.0
6 days	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.1	1.9
7 days	2.7	3.1	3.1	2.9	1.9
>1–2 weeks	11.1	11.1	11.9	11.7	7.4
>2-4 weeks	9.1	9.2	10.1	9.5	6.1
>4-13 weeks	12.9	14.6	15.9	15.4	9.6
>13-26 weeks	4.1	4.9	5.2	5.1	3.3
>26-52 weeks	1.8	2.1	2.4	2.3	1.8
>52 weeks	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.1	0.8
Total (%)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Total (number)	22,500	24,450	23,850	23,200	35,950
Mean length (days)	27	30	33	32	22
Median length (days)	4	5	6	6	1

^{1.} Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 2,442.

^{2.} Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation.

Appendix 1 The data

General information to help readers interpret the tables presented in this report is given in Appendix 1 of the main report. Additional information relevant only to the tables for Queensland follows.

A1.1 Agency participation

Table A1.1: SAAP Client Collection: agency participation rates and forms returned with informed consent and valid consent, by region and primary target group, Queensland, 2000-01

	Age	encies	I	Forms returned		
_		Participation				
	Total	rate	Total	Consent	Valid consent	
Region	Number	%	Number	%	%	
Gold Coast	15	100.0	2,522	67.2	66.3	
lpswich/Logan	13	100.0	860	77.6	77.2	
Brisbane City	50	98.0	8,878	78.5	76.5	
Sunshine Coast	10	100.0	1,092	63.9	62.2	
Caboolture and Redcliffe Peninsula	4	100.0	362	92.0	90.3	
Toowoomba and South West	11	90.9	1,520	85.9	84.9	
Wide Bay Burnett	13	84.6	1,525	84.6	82.6	
Central	21	95.2	1,746	73.3	69.6	
Mackay/Whitsundays	8	87.5	797	84.9	84.1	
Townsville and Hinterland	15	86.7	2,792	83.5	65.6	
Cairns and Tablelands	15	100.0	11,556	95.0	93.6	
Remote and North West	15	60.0	1,975	96.3	36.2	
Total	190	92.6	35,625	84.6	78.4	
Primary target group						
Young people	68	97.1	6,711	64.8	62.9	
Single men only	11	90.9	5,707	82.9	82.0	
Single women only	1	100.0	209	89.5	88.5	
Families	27	96.3	1,820	79.8	77.0	
Women escaping domestic violence	51	86.3	5,251	78.5	45.8	
Cross target/multiple/general	32	90.6	15,927	95.9	94.4	
Total	190	92.6	35,625	84.6	78.4	

Notes

Sources: SAAP Administrative Data and Client Collections.

^{1. &#}x27;Agencies' refers to the number of agencies that were 'in scope'—that is, that should have been participating in the reference period.

^{2.} Based on forms returned from agencies in scope for the Client Collection during the reference period. Not all agencies funded under SAAP are required to participate in the Client Collection. For example, agencies that only provide support to other agencies or that only provide casual assistance lasting less than 1 hour are not required to participate in the collection. Consequently, some agencies funded under SAAP (see Chapter 2) are not included in this table.

^{3. &#}x27;Valid consent' here refers to all forms with a valid alpha code that were answered with consent (see 'alpha code' in Glossary).

Of the 35,625 forms returned, 16,713 were high-volume forms. After adjusting for agency non-participation (see Section A1.2.1 of the main report), high-volume agencies accounted for 18,050 of the 38,450 support periods.

A1.2 Additional counting rules

In the tables in this report, when counting clients or support periods in particular groups, the following rules have been used in addition to those outlined in Appendix 1, Section 1.4 of the main report.

Region

Administrative regional classifications developed by the Queensland Department of Families are used in the report. The State's thirteen administrative regions are as follows:

- Remote and North-West
- Cairns and Tablelands
- Townsville and Hinterland
- Mackay and Whitsundays
- Central
- Wide Bay Burnett
- Toowoomba and South-West
- Caboolture and Redcliffe Peninsula
- Sunshine Coast
- Brisbane City
- Ipswich and Logan
- Gold Coast
- Statewide.

Appendix 2 SAAP NDCA Client Collection forms

General and high volume forms

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